

SUTHERLAND'S SPECIALS

JULY 17th TO THE 23rd.

Grindstones	Regular price 4c. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	This week 3c. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.
Screen doors	" " \$1.45	" " \$1.20
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22 short cartridges	" " 20c box	" " 15c box

A Keg of 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch nails for \$4.50

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Closing out all our Millinery at 25 per cent discount Each Hat is of the very latest style and the varieties shown make it easy one to make a choice at a small price.

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Ladies White and Colored Waists in most all sizes and colors at 25 per cent discount. Now is your chance For one week only. Come early and get your choice.

HARDWARE

Our Store is nearing completion. Our New Stock is on the way. Watch our ad. for New Lines.

Sad Drowning Accident.

Fred Erickson Drowned in Nose Creek on Sunday

A sad drowning accident occurred about 12 o'clock on Sunday morning at Nose Creek, just north of the brick yard, alongside the C. P. R. tracks, when a young lad, Fred Erickson, sixteen years of age, lost his life.

He and his father, who is a farmer living eight miles west of Airdrie, had gone into the city on Saturday with two loads of hay, and the boys team being unfit to complete the home journey that day, he was left to spend the night in town. He seems to have intended taking a bath, and had taken off his clothes all but an undershirt, and it is surmised that going to the edge to remove this he slipped into the water, which is very deep at that point, being situated just north east of the old brick yard and alongside the north C. P. R. track. Another young lad, William Hartwick, who resides near the new brewery, was near by at the time of the accident, and gave the alarm.

The police, arriving on the scene, found the Mounted Police and a number of residents already at work with grappling irons, and shortly after they put in an appearance the body was found. Dr. Crawford, the coroner, examined the body and ordered it to be removed to Shaver's mortuary, where it was conveyed in a North West Mounted Police wagon. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon in Airdrie.

EAST BEAVERDAM.

Sunshine, heat, showers and mosquito.

Grain is looking fine, and prospects are good for a big harvest.

The meetings held at West Brook recently, created quite an excitement, to some especially.

D. K. Fike is building another addition to his hog pasture.

Henry Stone has resigned his position as road foreman in Trop. 29.

Jim Hayes preached at Banner on Sunday.

Jose Fike went to Crossfield on Monday.

Jim Banta will be moving up from Calgary soon.

Chas. Keil is still breaking for B. B. Estes.

John Blough is summer fallowing for wheat.

Mr. Havens has over 100 acres broke and is busy discing it up for wheat.

Miss Newton spent Sunday with her folks on the Dog Pound.

O. I. Shupe has bought a buggy. Now girls jump right in, and don't walk to ice cream parties any more.

J. B. McNicol is breaking some for a hog pasture.

Lawrence you look lonesome. What seems to be the trouble?

BORN.

MICHAEL.—At Airdrie on July 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Michael, a daughter.

DIED

BOYLE.—At Port Colborne, Ont., on July 14th, James Houshaw Boyle. Passed away suddenly.

FOR SALE.

About seventy head of good grade Shorthorn and Hereford cattle. Will sell in small lots if desired. For further information apply to Fred Turnbull, Crossfield, Alta. July 16/08.

Oxen For Sale

Big, extra well broken team of Oxen for sale, with nearly new harness, halters and leather lines (which cost \$21.50), will sell for \$135, if sold at once. Are worth \$150 as they will handle a 14 in. plow or big four horse disc. W. Rapson (Gregg, Kora, P. O. July 16/08.

Local and General.

Interesting Items Regarding Crossfield and Elsewhere.

Sunny Alberta!

Have you subscribed yet?

Office to Let.—Apply to Mr. Becker.

The Morning Albertan on sale at this office.

A McCormick binder for sale for cash, or trade for stock.

F. J. Downie, of Carstairs, spent Wednesday in town.

Mr. Sutherland has purchased the two lots next to his lumber yard from Hultgren & Davie.

P. H. Handley, of Marysville, B. C., paid a short visit to his brother, M. R. Handley of the Hotel here.

Mr. Meacham, of Langdon, was a visitor in town on Monday. He is renewing acquaintances here.

Geo. McLeod, living eight miles west has been fixing up his house. Rumor says his marriage will take place immediately.

C. Havens, of Samspon, has this week received a fine \$100 piano from the Heintzman Co. L. L. Hoves, representing this firm was in town to see to its safe delivery to Mr. Havens.

C. W. Hagen, the shoemaker from Carstairs, has arrangements to do the shoemaking and repair work for this district. A day work may be left at Ontkes & Armstrong's store and he will get it from them.

Mr. Tucker, of the bank here, accompanied by Don and Leslie McKay have been a week over the Red Deer. They report that the hay out there is first class, and that there is an abundance of Saskatoon, strawberries and gooseberries.

John Andrews has a couple of samples of barley on view in Hultgren & Davies office. One pulled June 30th measures 31 inches and the others pulled July 15th is 26 inches long. This is a growth of 27 inches in 15 days, nearly 2 inches a day.

The auction sale held by Mr. P. Smyth last Thursday was very successful. Mr. McLeod, the auctioneer, succeeded in raising a total of \$165, which was above the expectations, as the stock, etc., which Mr. Smyth offered for sale was only his surplus stock.

G. W. Tilton, editor of the Ryder News, of Ryder, North Dakota, accompanied by his wife and two daughters has been spending a few days here as the guest of Mr. F. Williams who is father-in-law to Mr. Tilton. We had a call from Mr. Tilton on Saturday. He expresses himself as very well pleased with the appearance of the country and crops around here. He returned to the south on Sunday evening.

Mr. Van, B. Arnold returned last Friday morning from Browning, Missouri bringing with him Mrs. Arnold, who was formerly Miss Mabel Neff, of Browning. The wedding took place on June 30. Andy Jakle who is renting Mr. Arnold's farm by the Rosebud met them at the train with a team, and took them out for a short visit in that neighborhood. They returned to town later and went back to Calgary, where Mr. Arnold is engaged to deliver milk for T. D. Thomas in the city.

LIBERAL MEETINGS.

Dr. C. J. Stewart, the liberal candidate for this constituency, is holding a series of meetings next week. The following school-homes have been secured for evening stated:

Floral School, Tuesday 21st at 8 p. m.
Banner " " Wednesday 22nd at 8 p. m.
Rodney " " Thursday 23rd at 8 p. m.
Greenwood " " Friday 24th at 8 p. m.
A hearty invitation is extended to all to come and hear the doctor.

I. O. O. F.

The installation of the following officers of the Airdrie Lodge of Oddfellows took place last Thursday:

P. G.—A. Bushfield
N. G.—Jas. Combe
V. G.—W. Northcote
Rec. Sec.—W. R. Jenkins
Warden—Jas. MacCrimmon
Con.—J. M. Winslow
R. S. N. G.—J. H. Smith
R. S. V. G.—H. Northcote
L. S. V. G.—W. Mackenzie
J. G.—Hugh Edridge
R. S. S. J.—Holmes
L. S. S. J.—Boyd

The new rituals have arrived and will make the work more interesting. Any one wishing to join should communicate with the Rec. Sec.

Reception.

The reception given by the congregation of the Methodist Church in honor of the return of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston to Crossfield for another year was held at the parsonage on Monday evening.

The rain which prevented the reception from being held on Mrs. Armstrong's lawn, as was intended, did not dampen the pleasure of those present. The guests first partook of an elaborate supper provided by the ladies; the ice-cream prepared by Mrs. Armstrong being worthy of special mention.

After all had been served, Mr. Colling acted as Toast master and a few words expressing the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Johnston are held were spoken by Mr. T. D. Thomas to which Mr. Johnston made a grateful response.

Mrs. Johnston then, in behalf of the choir, presented Mrs. D. A. MacCrimmon with a silver fern dish as a token of their appreciation of her assistance in the past. Mrs. MacCrimmon each responded with a few words of thanks and gratitude for this manifestation of good will. The remainder of the evening was spent in enjoying music games and conversation, and a very delightful time was experienced by all present.

A copy of the address presented to Mrs. MacCrimmon will appear next week.

AIRDRIE.

Two car-loads of oats have been shipped by Mr. Smith this week.

Airdrie now has a fine local telephone service in full working order.

The Miss Oles were both badly bruised in a runaway accident last Friday night.

Mr. MacCrimmon has 60 acres of fine wheat, all headed out and standing about five feet high.

Mr. Elliott, of Brampton, Ont., has been spending a few days visiting friends in Airdrie.

Mr. Brennan held a box social at his place on the 9th inst., in aid of the sports to be held on July 22nd.

J. Horton, representing the International Harvester Co., has been spending a few days in Airdrie.

Miss Kheopher, of Grimby, Ont., has purchased some Airdrie lots this week from Mr. Smith. She thinks of putting in a millinery and dressmaking establishment here in the course of time.

Carstairs baseball boys did not show up to play the match last week. A match between the married and single men was therefore arranged. It resulted in a win for the single men, the score being single 7, married 2.

J. H. Smith has a 100 acres of about the finest oats to be seen in Sunny Alberta. When we walked among them the other day the heads were all formed ready to spread out and they stood three feet three inches in height.

BRUCE OLD BOYS.

On Thursday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ingham, of Samspon, entertained a number of their friends for the day. Among those present from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Briggs, of Toronto, Mrs. Emerson, of Winnipeg, Man., Mr. and Mrs. G. McInnis, of Minnedosa Man., Mr. and Mrs. J. Adams of Rocky Condo. The most of those present were one time school mates, and pupils of Mr. J. Simmonds in Bruce Co. Mr. and Mrs. Simmonds were also present. Luncheon was served on the lawn and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

ONE OF THEM.

The Methodist Service next Sunday will be a patriotic one and special music will be rendered.

Don Mathison, familiarly known as the "Colonial" and A. Sackett left for Moyie, B. C. this week.

Twenty-one prospective settlers from the States went out to the Colonization Co. lands this week. We understand twenty of them purchased.

Rev. C. W. Bishop, of Calgary, has been in town this week on a visit to Mr. Johnston. He has also been out to A. Lane's place on a short visit.

Mrs. O. A. Maybes who has been here for the last month, left on Sunday to join her husband in B. C. Her mother Mrs. T. G. Thompson accompanied her to Calgary.

We are advised that Hultgren & Davie have received instructions to sell 16 sections of C. P. R. land 14 miles east of Crossfield. They ought to sell faster at \$1.00 per acre and up, and ten years to pay for it at 6 per cent interest.

INDIGESTION CAN BE CURED

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Succeed
After Other Remedies Fail.

There are twenty cures to help your digestion for a time, but there is only one medicine that can positively cure your indigestion for good. No one with indigestion can afford to do without Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They are worth all the purgatives and mixtures in the country. After all these things have failed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of indigestion by going straight to the root of the trouble in the blood.

You can take a purgative to tear through your bowels blood make clean sweep of your food, whether it is digested or not. You can take stomachic bitters to create a false appetite—if you don't care what happens after you swallow your meal. You can drug your stomach with tablets and scrubs to digest your food for you—if you don't care how soon you ruin your system altogether. You can do all these things—but don't call it "curing your indigestion." There is only one way to cure indigestion, and that is to give your system so much good, pure, red blood that your stomach and liver will have strength enough to do their natural work in a healthy and vigorous way. That is what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure indigestion—they actually make new blood. Here is the proof. Mr. R. McCordell, Thomas, Ont., says—"About a year ago my system became generally wrecked. My stomach was always in a state of nausea. The sight of any kind of food often turned my stomach and I would arise from the table without eating. Doctors advised different medicines which I took without benefit. Finally I became so run down that I had to quit work. For two months I tried to build myself up with the aid of doctors, but as time went on and my condition did not improve I became much discouraged. Then a friend told me he thought Dr. Williams' Pink Pills would help me, and I began their use. In a few weeks time I was so improved that I went back to my work, but I continued using the pills until I had taken twelve boxes, and now my stomach is strong, and I am ready for a good meal three times a day. My life now really seems worth living."

It is because Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, pure blood that they cure such common ailments as anemia, with all its headaches and backaches, rheumatism, neuritis, St. Vitus' dance, partial paralysis and the secret ailments from which women and young people suffer so much. You can get the pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Evlyn—Don't you think, Harold that June is a common month to get married in? Almost all the weddings take place that month.

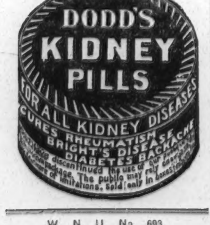
Harold—Well, what's the matter with July, then?

Evlyn—No; let's make it the twentieth.

It is a Liver Pill—Many of the ailments that man has to contend with have their origin in a disordered liver, which is a delicate organ, peculiarly susceptible to the disturbances that come from irregular habits or lack of care in eating and drinking. This accounts for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of sufferers. Of these there is none superior to Parmenter's Vegetable Pills. Their operation through gentle is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

Bligs—What do you know about Parmenter's? Is he as good as his word?
Bligs—Oh, yes. But I wouldn't believe a word he said—Chicago News.

Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend.
—Rome has many English visitors just now. One English lady, interested in the little boys who deliver the wares of the pastry cooks, said to a little fellow who had brought her some cakes—
"Ah, I suppose you get the benefit of one of these cakes yourself sometimes?"
"What does madam mean?" asked the boy.
"You eat a cake now and then?"
"Eat them? Oh, no, madam, that would not do. I only look 'em as I come along."—London Talker.



W. N. U. No. 693.

QUEBEC TERCENTENARY.

Grand Pageant to be Presented in
Commemoration of Early Canadian History.

Quebec, May 29.—Chief among the festivities of the Quebec Tercenary in July next will stand out those great and dramatic scenes of the Pageant which will show forth to the world what great things were done in Canada in the days of old, and how filled with romance and chivalry is every page of early Canadian history. Frank Levesque, the Mayor of Quebec, fresh from his success last year at Oxford, and having already in hand the programme for 1909 in London, with its 15,000 performers, has just taken the people of Quebec into the confidence and has explained to them what a pageant really is, and exactly what the coming representations upon the Plains of Abraham are to be like. Among other things he said:

"It is no mere spectacular or theatrical performance which you are going to organize or in which you are going to take part. It is a great historical representation, which will leave its mark on the time and will be remembered as one of the great things which were done in Quebec in this generation."

"It will give a keener interest to the study of your great beginnings; it will show forth in flesh and blood before you the great men and women whose deeds of bravery and heroic suffering have made this country what it is."

It will show the noble heroic ideas which prompted the pioneers in their pilgrimages from Old France and will make all Canada realize that here in this ancient city, this city set upon a rock, was the cradle and birthplace of their great country."

"And the world is prepared to honor your festivities as few festivities have been honored before."

"The heir to the throne of your mighty Empire is coming to show his respect to the memory of the great founder of Canada, Samuel de Champlain."

"The soldiers and battleships of three great nations which were once at war will come to show how much greater and more powerful is peace and side by side in this city, where all three are at once, will march the representatives of America, of England and of France."

"It is a striking fact and one of which you are undoubtedly to be congratulated that you should have chosen to commemorate the three hundredth year of your foundation by a form of celebration which is new to the world, a form which deals with all the charms that a beautiful situation, a great history and a chivalrous and poetic-minded people can give—a country's history."

"It will enable the youth of this country to realize that they have ever done before the greatness of your national history. It will show forth with all the advantages of archeological accuracy, beautiful color, stately ceremonial, and the sweet tones of music, the great events that you have to remember."

"On the corner of the Plains of Abraham with the grounds Marchmont on the right and the river flowing beyond and below, a grand stand is already in course of erection, which will seat many thousands of onlookers; and on the broad stretch in front of it, between the grand stand and the river, will be reproduced with great exactitude as possible, the stirring scenes of early days."

"But briefly, we shall see as the strains of the overture die away, a group of wigwags set beneath the trees and a wild Indian dance in progress on the banks. Jacques Cartier comes in sight with his crew, the plants in the earth in the midst of the assembled Indians, the mighty cross which bears the golden lilies and the arms of France."

"After a scene which will recall as vividly as history can help us to do the actual progress of events, he reads to the crowded savages, grouped on the banks of the river, as he did nearly four hundred years ago, the famous words of the Holy Gospel of St. John. They down he goes to the river to embark on the ship which is to bring him back to France."

"So the French pioneers and the Indians pass out of view and we are transported in our imagination to the court of France. The same green sward is under foot and the same sky is over head, but the strain of music is of grey color and the scene is that the scene is no longer a life of the village on cliffs at the river side, but that this is the court of France, Premier at Fontenelle."

In great state he rides at the head of his cortege, and Cartier, who has returned from his voyage to the west, is brought before him and tells him of his wanderings and presents some Indians whom he has brought back with him from the New World."

Then they ride on and the scene changes again. Once more we are at the court of France but here it is the court assembled at the Louvre and a theatre is set up in the centre and tapestries unfolded round, while gorgeous halliards keep guard. The court of Henry IV, has succeeded that of Francis I, resplendent in satins and silks of many colors, the ladies and gentlemen troop in. A pavane is danced before the King, who arrives who state, and to a young man, who stands at the foot of the throne, is given a commission to set out where Cartier had gone before, and Champlain receives his orders from the King."

Then back the next scene brings us to the little village of Stadacona, and Champlain, with his girl wife is received with wonder by the savages. "The years again pass by, and

Champlain and his wife are long since dead. Stadacona has become Quebec and the populace has increased to over 200. The Governor, Montmagny, goes down with his guard and receives the gentle and holy mother Marie and the ladies from Old France who have won up their lives to bring the name of Christ to the new country. She teaches the little children the Bible stories that were taught to each of us at our mother's knee and the scene passes on.

"A fort is being defended by 17 brave young Frenchmen against the hordes of Iroquois, and the flying arrows, the awful screams and final burning of the fort, result to us some of the terrors and martyrdoms through which our forefathers had to pass. "Then the ashes of the little fort are swept aside and the sound of chanting falls upon our ears. The great archbishop, Mgr. de Laval, surrounded with all the stately ceremony of the church comes down to meet the representative of the King, who resplendent among his courtiers and his nobles, pays reverent homage to the church."

In the presence of the fur traders and the merchants, Darnott de Saint Louson takes possession of the country of the west, and later on, the brave Frontenac gives his answer to the mouth of my guns," to the demands of Thips."

"Last scene of all, side by side, shoulder to shoulder, French and English together, victors both, in our great parade of honor, march, our brave heroes of the past, a wonderful assembly, an inspiration to the world. In the centre Jacques Cartier with his cross, Champlain, Mother Marie, Belland, Montmagny, Frontenac, Darnott de Saint Louson, Frontenac and many more, without number, and before the soldiers of the great army, sent to do honor to the living descendants of these brave men; while below on the river, the mighty battleships boom out, in a salute with all the assembled multitude, to the Past, the Present and the Future of Canada, the golden granary of the world."

It Wasn't.
The customs of military service require officers to visit the kitchens during campaigns to see that the soldiers' food is properly prepared. One old colonel, who let it be pretty generally known that he would be obeyed without question or explanation, once stopped two soldiers who were carrying a soup kettle out of a kitchen.

"Here, you," he growled, "give me a taste of it." One of the soldiers ran and fetched a ladle and gave the colonel the desired taste. The colonel spat and spluttered.

"Good heavens, man! You don't eat that," he cried, "it's a disgrace." "No, sir," replied the soldier meekly. "It's dish water we was emptying," sir."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

"Laura," growled the husband, "what have you taken all my clothes out of the closet for?" "Now there's me making any fuss about it, George," said his wife with a note of defiance in her voice. "I just had to have some place where I could hang my new spring hat."—Chicago Tribune.

Thousands of mothers can testify to the virtue of Minard's Liniment, because they know from experience how useful it is.

LEARNING TO WALK.

How to Teach Baby the Art of Standing Alone.

By the time he is six months old baby will usually try to stand alone or even walk a few steps, and before this age no effort should be made to hasten him in this development. He may be a week or more occasionally scrambling to his feet and holding to a chair without showing the slightest inclination to walk. Walking he will do in time, and once he becomes fascinated with the joy it is well to watch that he does not overdo and strain the leg muscles, not to mention weaken the bones.

When an infant is learning to walk tenders are excellent, for they give support that prevents injury from sudden falls. The tender is a movable part as it were, in which there is a little seat. As the child begins to walk the seat may be removed, and he can stand up right within the little inclosure that before many days he will try to push in front of him. He must not be allowed to tie himself at the work, and a few minutes at a time is all that should be permitted.

Another first aid to walking is a leading strap. It consists of a strong but soft belt supported by a couple of straps over the shoulders. They may be made at home of ribbon or fine leather. Where the belt folds in the back there is a long rein, and with this in her hand a mother can frequently prevent baby from falling and bumping his nose or can guide his footsteps.

A Geographical Slip.
One of the famous American dramatists wrote an Egyptian play and had the English officers of the khedive's army sent to the island of Egypt across the Nile to the island of Elephantine, returning in an hour's time. Elephantine island is opposite Assuan, at the first cataract, 650 miles from Cairo. But the play went in this country and in England.

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Mrs. Albina Chauvin, No. 60 Rue Agnes, St. Henri, Montreal, Can., writes: "I consider Peruna better than any other remedy, as it cured me when nothing else could. I suffered for years and years with heart trouble, headache and weakness. I never expected to find anything to cure me. I saw one day, in 'La Presse,' that Peruna was excellent and I tried it. One bottle produced a change in me and if the price had been \$100 a bottle I would have paid it gladly. I have taken six bottles and am entirely cured. Please accept my thanks and best wishes for your Peruna."



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WHEAT

Mary Premised.
A Scottish parson, still on the under side of forty, was driving home from an outlying hamlet when he overtook a young woman. He recognized her as the maid of all work at a farm which he would pass, so he pulled up and offered her a lift. Mary gladly accepted his offer, they chatted pleasantly all the way to the farm gate.
"Thank you, sir," she said as she got down.
"Don't mention it, Mary. Don't mention it," he told her as he drove on.
"No, I won't," Mary obligingly assured him.

Homer Folks, New York's noted authority on charity, said the other day of an applicant for help: "His recommendation was not very satisfactory. It reminded me of a woman I heard about recently. 'Somebody said to this woman's husband: 'So you've insured in the Blank Company? Well, the car has induced you to choose that of all companies.' 'My wife,' was the reply. 'She says they issue the prettiest calendars.'"—Rochester Herald.

Tooke SHIRTS

No stiff-boasted shirt, no matter how well it fits, can ever give the same comfort that a Tooke shirt can. With a Neglige, or Soft-boosam Shirt, there is no binding across the chest—nothing stiff or uncomfortable to impede your movements. Tooke Neglige Shirts can be had either with plain or pleated bosoms in a big variety of exclusive designs. They are made either with or without attached collars. Shirts having attached collars are the most popular and most convenient.

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W. M. Brandon.

The Chronicle.

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Notes and Comments.

The looming shadow of the west on the national curtain has given rise to a very significant agitation in the maritime province, with which Mr. Borden has expressed himself in sympathy. This aims at securing a constitutional amendment which will afford to the maritime provinces their present representation in parliament. During the last twenty years the maritime provinces have lost nearly a fourth of their federal representation. This may be unpleasant, but it is a condition that cannot be remedied by parliament. To abolish the unit rule would be to provide by legislation, that a voter in the maritime provinces is to have more power than a voter in the other provinces. We, in the west, cannot be expected to agree to a proposal that would minimize our influence in parliament. The present law is absolutely fair, and if it penalizes the less progressive districts by transferring some of their representatives to the newer and more thriving localities, the effect on the nation as a whole is beneficial. To agree to the maritime provinces' proposal would be to limit the political power of the west for all time.—Winnipeg Free Press.

We are always glad, along about election time more particularly, that we are not running a party newspaper, as we are not compelled to sacrifice every possible chance of getting to Heaven for the good of our party. An editor stands a chance of being executed and forgiven if he lies just a little sometimes; in fact, he has to do it. If an editor was to tell the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, he would be in jail two-thirds of his time and spend the balance in trying to keep out of the reach of angry citizens. There is no chance, however, for the political liar. Most of his stories are senseless and useless, and he hasn't a ghost of a chance in the next world. We are sorry for them, but they can't say we did not give them warnings.—Aylmer, Ont., Express.

There is little dependency to be placed on luck. Some men are said to be born under a lucky star and others are always lucky; but if their careers are properly analyzed, it will be found that their luck is due to management. If a man prospers he is a good manager; if he makes little or no progress, but sits back waiting for his luck to change, his management is always bad. The good manager is always lucky.

The value of creamery butter, cheese and condensed milk manufactured in Canada in 1907 was \$29,250,000, exclusive of milk used for home consumption. In 1905 it was \$31,250,000, and in 1907 \$35,450,000. The census authorities estimated the manufacture of dairy butter at \$22,000,000 and the consumption of milk at \$55,000,000 so that the total product last year was \$97,450,000.

An exchange says: "Don't attempt to ask the editor to write up or rebuke every evil in the town or community, but when convinced that such things need attention, write an article for publication and sign your name to it. The man who is too big a coward to thus express an opinion is the man who stands on the street corner and talks about the cowardice of the editor."

The West is vigorous, but peaceful. If it were not, how could seven hundred mounted police keep order from Manitoba to the Rocky Mountains, and from the international boundary to the Arctic ocean including posts in the Yukon and on Hudson bay? If you want a real quiet country, where law and order is observed, come West.—Winnipeg Telegram.

Crops never looked better and our farmers are happy, and think there is no place like Sunny Alberta.

Max O'Rell said: "Luck means rising at 6 o'clock in the morning, living on a dollar a day if you earn two, minding your own business and not meddling with other people's. Luck means ap-

pointments you have never failed to keep, trains you have never failed to catch. Luck means trusting in God and your own resources."

A knocker is one who speaks the truth too pointedly.

New School Books.

Two cartloads of new public school books arrived in Edmonton for the department of education from the publishers, Morang and company, Toronto. They are to be distributed free of charge among the public school pupils. The supply received is calculated to last two years. Distribution will be proceeded with at once so they can be used when schools open for the fall term, Aug. 21. Beginning of the new school term will probably bring about two other changes in texts in the public schools of Alberta. The department of education has decided to do away with the system of vertical writing and introduce the slant system. The English and Canadian history texts in use in the public schools have also proved unsatisfactory and steps are being taken to replace them with more suitable text. Canadian history text is already selected and the text of English history will probably be chosen in a few days.

General.

Frost is said to have nipped the beans of East Kent.

The federal parliament will close about the middle of July.

Fifteen miles of the Yukon telegraph line was destroyed by forest fires.

Eleven Italians were arrested at Fernie as promoters of a Black Hand society.

Frederick N. B., complain that there is too much love making in the parks.

Canada waters yielded last year about 20,000,000 lobsters, half of which were canned.

The Manitoba government reports that 24,624 farm laborers are required, and over 5,000 female servants.

It is thought likely that the United States congress will provide a pension of \$5,000 a year for Mrs. Grover Cleveland, following precedent. Mrs. Garfield had received a pension of \$5,000 each year since 1882.

Eastern Canada and United States are suffering with intense heat, many people perishing. In New York City, people were sleeping with their heads out of the windows to get cool air. Some fell out when asleep and were killed on the pavement beneath.—Innisfail Free Lance.

Eight Artistic Stamps.

The special postage stamps issued in commemoration of the tercentenary celebration at Quebec are now ready. The stamps are of most artistic design, and are larger than the ordinary size, to allow of adequate representation of historic scenes, portraits, etc.

The description of each denomination is as follows:

Half cent, grey picture of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

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School Report.

The following is the Report of O'Neil S. D. No. 1176.

Standard V.—Total marks 730.

Louis Colling (wrote on Departmental Examination.)

Edna Colling, 571.

Caroline O'Neil, 521.

James Featherstone, 98 (absent 3 days)

Gordon Colling and Charlie Pattison, absent.

Standard III.—Total marks 700

Eileen O'Neil, 442.

Lorraine Woolley, 412.

Walter Colling, 350. All promoted.

Standard II.—Total marks 600.

James Cranston, 348.

Orwell Alexander, 263. (absent 1 day) Both promoted.

Standard I.—Total marks 500.

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Ph. I.—Della Boothby.



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Airdrie
It's Rise and Progress

Envisioned on the rolling prairie, nineteen miles north of Calgary, lies the picturesque little town of Airdrie. There is nothing prosaic either in the name or town itself. It is one of nature's beauty spots which nestles beneath the shelter of every big town. It is the handiwork of nature is fast disappearing. Progress has laid down its grasp firm and strong and the one time little hamlet has begun to take on the semblance of a city. It is true the grassy slopes still remain; it is true that the happy go lucky cow puncher arrayed in his imposing regalia, sweeps occasionally upon the town; but progress inevitable and inevitable is written large.

First came the general stores, then the conversion of the little inn into a metropolitan hotel, then the bank, and outside interests with one swift continuous forward movement. Surrounded by the sweet grassy slopes, with countless acres of arable land, Airdrie is fast becoming a large centre for the surrounding country. There is nothing to keep it from forging ahead. Its natural advantages, and location, have already proven a great factor in its upbuilding. True alone can show of its possibilities, and exceed even the fondest imaginings of the most sanguine.

It seems incredible that Airdrie was a nonentity little more than three and a half years ago. Just a short time since the place was little more than the open prairie. Now there are three general stores, three blacksmith shops, two meat markets, a progressive lumber yard, three local branches of the big farming implement manufacturers of the east, two churches, livery, hotel and school. In addition there is what is considered the first factor in city building, is a substantial bank. Then there is the local practitioner, contractor, coal yard, hardware and jeweler's establishments.

Despite the flourishing business which one and all enjoy there is plenty of room for more.

"All that is wanted to complete the business section is a grain elevator, shoe-maker and harness stores."

As to the cattle industry Airdrie needs no introduction in this regard. A faint idea can be gleaned from the fact that one shipper shipped, last year, over 2000 head of cattle. This was J. Vincent, a popular rancher in the district. Mr. Vincent came to Airdrie from Peoria, Ill., barely three years ago. He now owns over 3,000 acres in the vicinity of the town and is engaged in fattening many head of cattle.

A man who has done much for Airdrie and who is one of her leading citizens is J. A. Smith. He has been instrumental in inducing settlers to come from the United States and eastern Canada to Airdrie, quite a large number coming as the result of his efforts. Besides owning property in the town he has 14,000 acres of land a few miles to the east of town for sale.

The Hotel. Of Airdrie's hospitality, only the highest praise of a tired traveller can merit its splendid accommodation. It is renowned throughout the surrounding country. Here ranchers and cow punchers congregate and spend many enjoyable evenings. The genial proprietor M. D. Soper, had the building enlarged and modernized. Now there are over forty rooms well furnished and comfortable. The table is always spread with the choicest of viands.

Airdrie is the hunter's paradise. To equal the opportunities for duck shooting you must travel some. If your taste is of the wild you can hunt the fox or coyote.

Airdrie six years ago had nothing more pretentious than a shack. A. E. Bowers was the pioneer. He took up a homestead and worked hard year after year.

Three summers ago he converted his shack into a general store and thereby

laid the foundation for the town of Airdrie. Shortly afterwards as surrounding settlers patronized his business Mr. Bowers was enabled to build a two story building which was immediately occupied by Glover and MacCormack who have now one of the best stores in town. Mr. Bowers original shack is now occupied by the Airdrie branch of the Union Bank. Mr. Bowers made his pile and removed to Victoria, B. C., that Pacific coast city where all who have worked hard and made enough money to live on comfortably, retire to spend the remainder of their lives in comfort.

A Word About Glover & MacCormack. This firm has the largest general store in the village, and carry one of the best and most up-to-date stocks in Alberta. They report business brisk and steadily increasing. Mr. Glover hails from Chatham, Ont., and received his business training in the John Armstrong departmental store in Brillon Ont. About two years ago he started in business in Airdrie, and finding soon after he commenced that the business was becoming too large for one to handle comfortably, he admitted Mr. MacCormack into partnership. The latter gentleman hails from Galesburg, Ill., and besides his interest in the store, is an enthusiastic rancher having a place of 2,000 acres near Airdrie. "Airdrie is good enough for me," he says. Both of these gentlemen are in the prime of life and are jolly, clean-cut business men, and are making a huge success of their business.

W. A. H. Downie is also one of the pioneers of Airdrie, and is known far and wide as the Genial Downie.

Coombe & Mackenzie

Are the pioneer implement dealers of Airdrie. They have been in business about two years and a half and are able to show a record of sales that many firms in larger towns might well be proud of. They say that it was not a good place and settling up very fast they would not have been able to do such an enormous business as they have done. Lieut. Coombe is one of the cleverest, jolliest, happy go-lucky and most up-to-date business men in Airdrie to-day. His friends are permitted to call him "Jimmy Coombe." Jimmy is a partner with Mr. Mackenzie in the implement business, and also in the only livery stable in the village. Jimmy has been in the livery business for two years, and has an outfit of the best horses and most up-to-date rigs, the equal of any in Alberta.

He is very proud of his Airdrie troop of the 10th Light Horse, and declares that they are the smartest and best troop in the regiment, and are always there when the trumpet calls.

A Clever Young Bank Manager. A year ago J. M. Windsor took charge of the Union Bank in Airdrie, and although the building is not very large the volume of business transacted there shows that times are prosperous and money plentiful in Airdrie.

Mr. Windsor is very enthusiastic over the good progress being made in the district, and says Airdrie must have a grain elevator in the near future. At present the grain is sent to Calgary by teams and car load lots, and when the elevator is built there will be quite a saving in cartage.

Mr. Windsor has been accountant in the Union Bank at Manitou, Man., before coming to Airdrie, and held that position for six and a half years. He is an ambitious and hustling young man, and is certainly one of the foremost progressive men in the village.

Full of enthusiasm and with clear common sense, Airdrie is lucky in securing such a man to handle the financial affairs of the district.

In next issue we will continue this article and deal with others of the popular business men of Airdrie.

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To Kill the Gophers

Strychnine is the most effective known poison for killing the pocket gopher and this method is recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture for general use. Strychnine sulphate is the most convenient form of the poison since it is freely soluble in hot water and in the natural juices used for bait. To disguise its bitterness so that the gophers may not be deterred do as follows: Dissolve an ounce of strychnine sulphate in a pint of boiling water. Add a pint of thick sugar syrup scented by adding a few drops of oil of anise but this is not essential. Allow to cool in a closed vessel the syrup will keep indefinitely.

The above quantity is sufficient to poison a half bushel of grain. The grain is steeped in hot water and allowed to soak over night. It is drained and soaked for several hours in the poisoned syrup. Before using meal may be added to take up the excess of moisture.

The Longest "Straight."

To the Buenos Aires and Pacific railway belongs the peculiar distinction of having on its system the longest straight stretch of railway in the world. The length of this is 202 1/2 miles. It is situated on the main line, between 128 and 303 1/2 miles from Buenos Aires. The straight was formerly broken by reverse curves forming a detour around Lake Sorles. The longer portion was then 175 miles long and was even then the world's record. The lake having, however, practically dried up the company suppressed the curves, and the cutoff was opened to service on Oct. 15, 1907. It seems that when the line was set out in the seventies, at which time the country was in the hands of the Indians, after leaving Juila, which was a military outpost and the last point of contact with the Buenos Aires civilization, a course of about west-northwest was set and the line run straight across the flat pampas until it met another line about sixty miles long, which was pushed out eastward from the western terminus, Villa Mercedes. There were no obstacles of importance to avoid, and hence the phenomenal be-line—Englaser.

Cain's Wife.

"I never discuss marriage," said the late General Pitt-Hugh Lee, "without thinking of an old colored preacher in my state who was addressing his dark-skinned congregation when a white man rose up in the back of the building."

"Mr. Preacher," said the white man.

"Sir to you," said the parson.

"Mr. Preacher, you are talking about Cain, and you say he got married in the land of Nod after he killed Abel. But the Bible only mentions Adam and Eve as being on the earth at that time. Where then did Cain marry?"

"The colored preached married with unforgotten contempt."

"Hain't he said, 'You hear dat bredren an' sisters? You hear dat fool question I am axed? Cain, he went to de land o' Nod, just as de good book tells us, an' in de land o' Nod Cain, he gits so lazy an' so shiftless dat he up an' marries a gal o' one o' dem n—"

"Count pore white trash families dat de inspired apostle consider fittin' to mention in de holy word."

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Too Much for "Uncle Joe."

By the side of a certain Illinois suburban railroad stands a fertilizer factory which gives out a particularly offensive smell. A lady who frequently has occasion to pass by this line always carries with her a bottle of lavender smelling salts. One morning Speaker Cannon took the car beside her. As the train neared the factory, the lady opened her bottle of salts. Soon the car was filled with the horrible odor of the fertilizer. The speaker stood it as long as he could, then addressing himself to the lady, whom he saw holding the bottle to her nose, he said: "Madam, you mind put the cork in that bottle!"—Success Magazine.

A Cure for Fever and Ague.—Disturbance of the stomach and liver all precede attacks of fever and ague, showing that the cause of these ailments is in the digestive organs and deterioration in the quality of the blood. In these ailments Paroquet's Vegetable Pills have been found most effective, abating the fever and subduing the ague in a few days. These pills are subject to these distressing disturbances and to these there is no better preparation procurable as a means of relief.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative power that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Criminals weigh less than moral men because they're lighter-fingered.

A wave is called a swell because it arrives at the shore in great style and goes away broke.

The present day aero clubs are considered as exclusive because the members necessarily all move in the upper circles.—Bohemian.

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WOMEN LIKE SCOUNDRELS.

Picturesque Villain Has a Fascination For the Ladies.

While some women are reforming and exhorting the scoundrel, other women are engaged in marrying and encouraging him, and so the balance is preserved and mankind kept from growing its wings and flying away. A writer in Black and White—a lady writer, who yet does not deny the charge against her sex of being susceptible to the rogue—has this to say on the subject:

We are, of course, nowadays many of us, men and women alike, far too sentimentally inclined towards the scoundrel. There is a point of diseased mellowness and effeminacy in the history of society at which society takes the part of him who injures it, the part of the criminal, and does so, in fact, seriously and honestly, and a section of the community is soon ready to have reached that point.

But while fully believing in a sane and firm justice, the necessity of punishment and its usefulness, it may be conceded that not infrequently the scoundrel's wrongs are being speedily in reach of the law (for we have in our midst slum-owners, "sweaters," money-lenders, and a host of others who, for aught we know, are as ready for upright men, the scoundrel, may have sometimes a "weakness" with him" that appeals to our sex.

The same imagination which, run riot, has started the highest of his career of adventure, gives him a sympathetic insight in dealing with women; the same romantic view that, misapplied, has given a stamp of devil-may-careness to his life, is, at an early stage, repulsive to the self-degrading prudery of the hypocrite. "In politics and in trade," Emerson, that law-abiding citizen, remarked, "bruiers and pirates are of better promise than talkers and clerks."

The women of the upper classes of society are likewise credited with a tenderness for knaves and rogues. And, though it may be true that there is something that appeals to a woman's deepest instinct of pity and compassion in the downward tendency of the ne'er-do-well, yet the mystery of her apparent weakness for the triumphant villain remains unsolved.

To solve it, we should have to explain the inexplicable, the essence of personal magnetism. It takes more strength of mind, or of character, than many women possess to resist the magnetic personality in either snail or sinner. And when we see a woman falling an apparently willing prey to the power of a man, we are reminded of the story of a confirmed gambler, for example, to a confirmed gambler, it is not, as a rule, her reason that is overcome, but her sense of shame, her power of resisting a fascination, which, however, would have been able to resist in a Sir Galahad, had he possessed it.

The most superficial student of feminine psychology is aware of the overwhelming attraction of sentimentality, of inexpressible holiness of life, for women.

What, when all is said and done, we all seek in life, knowingly or unknowingly, is an ideal—the infinite in the finite. And we are easily misled. It is difficult, if not impossible, for the reason that the tender magnetism conceals a desire to annex our cheek book. A bunch of lilies and a sigh are worth a hundred poems in the hands of a woman, for—ce que c'est que de nous—we think we see just a little clearer through the mist of the transgressor would, if he had had a chance—and that chance of our manipulating—have turned out very differently.

Heat Wave In Melbourne.

The recent heat-wave in Melbourne broke all records ever for that sultry city, the temperature in the shade, reaching 112. The previous record was 108, and that had been broken for over 30 years. About a hundred deaths resulted from heat prostration, and for a time the people of Melbourne were almost panic-stricken by the dread of some frightful visitation. The heat led to some curious happenings.

A church up-country punkahs were installed, and during the service kept continually going at a snail's pace. A church up-country punkahs were installed, and during the service kept continually going at a snail's pace. A church up-country punkahs were installed, and during the service kept continually going at a snail's pace.

A Least Thought.

He—If you refuse me I shall go out and hang myself to the lamp-post in front of your house.

She—Now, George, you know father said he wouldn't have you hanging around here.

The Lion's Face.

"No one can look to the face of the king of beasts," he is an animal traitor, "without receiving a more or less conscious uplift. His face is the absolute embodiment of strength, determination, power and fortitude. He is the only king on earth that looks the part. There are lines of majesty and of power in repose in his countenance not found elsewhere except in the sphinx and in the somewhat idealized portrait of Washington."

An Oily Nose.

A red, oily nose should be bathed with borax water and afterward anointed with camphor water.



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During the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and other railways, unfortunately, similar vigilance has not been exercised; and we find that along the line many serious fires took place.

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We are advised that Hultgren & Davie

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Crossfield Chronicle from now till the end

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Miss May McMillan, formerly one of

the News staff, is now employed on the

Crossfield Chronicle. Miss McMillan's

many friends in Nanton and High River

will sympathize with her in her recent

bereavement at the death of her father at

Campbell's Bay, near Ottawa.—Nanton

News.

AIRDRIE.

Watch Airdrie Grow!

Chas. McNeil is on the sick list.

Presbyterian services at 3.30 p. m.

Have you subscribed to The Chronicle

yet?

Mr. Smith shipped 80 hogs to Calgary

on Monday.

Methodist Sunday services at 11 a. m.

and 7.30 p. m.

Prayer meeting will be held on Thurs-

day evening.

J. G. Ferguson, of Nanton, was a guest

at the hotel on Friday.

W. McKay, of Golden, B. C., registered

at Airdrie hotel on Thursday.

The Methodist Sunday school picnic

was held yesterday at Thorburn's lake.

Mr. Fox is erecting a new residence

for himself about three miles east of

Airdrie.

A dozen fishing enthusiasts have ar-

ranged a trip to Cochrane for Saturday

next.

B. Steward, Quebec, and T. M. Morgan,

Medicine Hat were visitors in town last

Saturday.

A social and entertainment in aid of

the Presbyterian building fund will be

held on July 31st.

W. S. Wang, of the Union Bank left

for the east on Wednesday for a month's

vacation. During his absence Mr. Grigg,

of Edmonton branch, is on duty here.

Rev. W. G. W. Fortune delivered a

powerful temperance sermon last Sunday

evening. The attendance was fair and

all who heard him speak well of his

attitude on the temperance question.

The representative of the Alberta Pac-

ific Elevator Co. has arranged to supply

seed wheat to Airdrie farmers F. O. B.

Airdrie. Communications addressed to

Mr. Leadbetter, Crossfield, will receive

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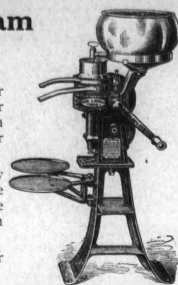
perance address tonight (Thursday) and

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POST MASTER. J. Sutherland.
ASSURANCE. M. S. Sutherland.
CONSTABLE—C. E. Brown
HAIR. J. Sutherland. AUSTIN, James
Sutherland, Hultgren & Davie, R. L.
Boyle.
BANK, Canadian Bank of Commerce,
Jas. Cameron Local Manager.

Train Service

NORTH BOUND
No. 11 Arrives—9:20 daily
No. 13 " 5:20 dly. exc. Sunday
SOUTH BOUND
No. 14 Arrives—10:30 daily
No. 12 " 2:46 dly. exc. Sunday

AIRDRIE DIRECTORY.

SCHOOL BOARD.
Chairman—J. Hallman.
Trustees—Jas. Coombe, H. G. Weldon.
Sec. Treas.—J. M. Windsor.
BOARD OF TRADE
President.—J. H. Smith.
Vice President.—Dr. W. T. Edwards.
Sec. Treas.—J. M. Windsor.
Commissioner.—Leslie Farr.
Justice of Peace.—J. Hallman.
Doctor, W. T. Edwards.
Methodist Minister, Rev. M. Brown.
Presbyterian Minister, Rev. W.
Hodgins.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Potatoes, per bushel, .40 c.
Wheat, No. 1, red, 1.15 c.
Wheat, No. 2, per, .08 c.
Wheat, No. 3, .01 c.
Wheat, No. 4, .03 c.
Feed wheat, .35 c.
Flax, .75 c.
Oats, .55 c.
Barley, .35 c.
Eggs, 20 c.
Butter, 1b. 15 c.